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Inspection of immigrants at Vancouver, British Columbia.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Riggs reports as follows: Month of August, 1905. Number of immigrants inspected, 293; number passed, 278; number rejected, 15; number certified for rejection on account of dangerous contagious or loathsome diseases, 12.

Inspection of immigrants at Victoria.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Glover reports as follows: Month of August, 1905. Number of immigrants inspected, 41; number passed, 39; number rejected, 2; number certified for rejection on account of dangerous contagious or loathsome diseases, 0.

COSTA RICA.

Reports from Limon, fruit port—Quarantine against New Orleans and ports in Panama—Yellow fever noted on bill of health from Barranquilla.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Goodman reports as follows: Week ended August 26, 1905. Estimated population, 4,000; number of deaths, 13; prevailing disease, malarial fever; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good. The quarantine restrictions against New Orleans and Panaman ports remain in force.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 21	Sarnia .....	.....	53	120	25	0
21	Venus	Mobile	32	0	0	0
23	Esparta	do	38	0	0	0
25	Miami .....	.....	46	0	0	0

Three bills of health for Panaman ports were viséed.

Week ended September 2, 1905: Number of deaths, 8; prevailing disease, malarial fever; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Information of a fatal case of bubonic plague in Panama, on August 24, having been received by the Costa Rican Government, the medical authorities have closed all Costa Rican ports against those of Panama.

The steamship *Siberia*, just arrived en route for New York, brings a Costa Rican bill of health from Barranquilla, Colombia, with 3 cases of yellow fever thereon, though the American bill of health from that place is clean.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 27	San José	Mobile	43	0	0	0
28	Alleghany .....	.....	46	26	1	0
29	Harald	Mobile	22	0	0	0
31	Limon	New Orleans..	43	0	0	0
Sept. 1	Pecuare .....	.....	53	6	0	0
2	Olympia	Mobile	42	0	0	0

The ships *San José*, *Harald*, *Limon*, and *Olympia* being fruiters bound for southern ports, had their holds fumigated before loading and the living quarters just prior to sailing.

Two bills of health for Panaman ports were viséed.